

On page 45, lines 7-8, delete "according to any one of 1st to 30th inventions".

On page 45, lines 15-16, delete "according to any one of 1st to 30th inventions".

IN THE CLAIMS:

Please amend the claims as follows:

- 1 28. (Amended) The reception method according to any one of
2 claims 25 to [27] 26, wherein a second data sink conforming to IEC 61883 is
3 connected to said IEEE 1394 bus, and
4 in the case where said data source outputs said output data to said
5 IEEE 1394 bus under the condition that said data source is established with or
6 establishes a point-to-point connection to said second data sink, and without using
7 broadcast transmission, and
8 in the case where said data sink is said personal computer,
9 said data sink establishes a point-to-point connection to said data
10 source, and receives said output data.
- 1 29. (Amended) The reception method according to any one of
2 claims 24 to [28] 26, wherein said data source is a digital VCR for use at home.
- 1 30. (Amended) The reception method according to any one of
2 claims 24 to [28] 26, wherein said data source is a set top box outputting MPEG
3 data.
- 1 31. (Amended) A medium carrying a program and/or data for
2 having all or part of functions of all or part of means of the data source, the data
3 conversion device, the auxiliary data file generation device or the data inverse
4 conversion device according to any one of claims [1] 24 to [30] 26 executed by the
5 computer, wherein said medium can be processed by the computer.
- 1 32. (Amended) An information aggregate, wherein said
2 information aggregate is a program and/or data for having all or part of functions